

For Further Reference

The preceding pages provide a brief introduction to management plan review and describe the background, natural resources, human uses, management functions and ongoing activities of the Sanctuary. To gain broader understanding of these and related topics, consult the following general text on Stellwagen Bank and visit the websites of the regional federal and state agencies mentioned in this report, as well as those of the collaborative Gulf of Maine governmental organizations listed.

Text

Ward, Nathalie. 1995. *Stellwagen Bank: a guide to the whales, sea birds, and marine life of the Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary*. 232 p. Down East Books, Camden, ME.

Federal Agency Websites

<http://www.sanctuaries.nos.noaa.gov>
NOAA National Marine Sanctuaries

<http://stellwagen.nos.noaa.gov>
Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary

<http://www.nefsc.nmfs.gov/ro/doc/nero.html>
National Marine Fisheries Service NE Region

<http://www.nefmc.org>
New England Fishery Management Council

<http://www.nurc.uconn.edu>
National Undersea Research Center for the North Atlantic / Great Lakes

<http://mpa.gov>
Marine Protected Areas of the United States

<http://www.nae.usace.army.mil/reg/index.htm>
*US Army Corp of Engineers
New England District (click on DAMOS)*

<http://www.uscg.mil/d1>
US Coast Guard District 1

<http://www.epa.gov/region01/index.html>
US Environmental Protection Agency Division 1

<http://woodshole.er.usgs.gov/project-pages/stellwagen>
US Geological Survey Northeast

<http://web.mit.edu/seagrant/northeast>
NOAA Northeast Sea Grant Program

State Agency Websites

<http://www.state.ma.us/czm/czm.htm>
Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management

http://www.state.ma.us/dfwele/dmf/dmf_toc.htm
Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries

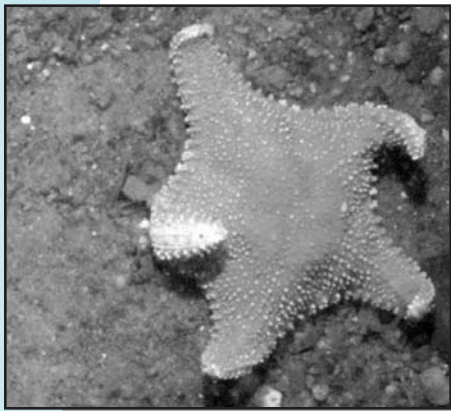
http://www.state.ma.us/dfwele/dle/dle_toc.htm
Massachusetts Environmental Police

<http://www.mwra.com>
*Massachusetts Water
Resources Authority*

Gulf of Maine Organization Websites

www.gulfofmaine.org
*Gulf of Maine Council
on the Marine Environment*

<http://www.gomoos.org>
*Gulf of Maine Ocean
Observing System*



Predatory horse star seeking prey in a sand habitat on the southern part of the Stellwagen Bank.

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